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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Confirmation No.: 6433

Hagane IRIKURA et al.

Art Unit: Art Unit: 1711

Application No.: 10/655,568

Examiner: WOODWARD, Ana L.

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For: ANTI-BACTERIAL POLYMER AND METHOD FOR THE

PREPARATION THEREOF, ANTI-BACTERIAL POLYMER FILM AND METHOD FOR THE PREPARATION THEREOF, AND ARTICLE HAVING SUCH A FILM ON THE SURFACE THEREOF

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: July 6, 2007

Sir:

Applicant petitions for an extension of time for two months for response to the outstanding Office Action dated February 7, 2007, May 7, 2007, to July 7, 2007.

Please find attached a check in the amount of \$450.00 to cover the fee discussed above. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 01-2300, referencing our Docket Number 026390-00010.

Respectfully submitted,

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